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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: GATT, ETRD

SUBJECT: TEXTILES: MFA EXTENSION: DRAFT LETTER

REF: GENEVA 6358

FOLLOWING IS A REPEAT TO YOU OF GENEVA 6382 DATED JULY 25.

1. HERewith TEXT OF LETTER SENT TO GATT DIRECTOR
GENERAL LONG REQUESTING OPENING PROTOCOL ON MFA EXTENSION.

2. FOLLOWING IS TEXT (OPENING AND CLOSING OMITTED): QUOTE
THIS LETTER IS TO REQUEST ON BEHALF OF THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA, THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY AND A NUMBER
OF OTHER TEXTILE IMPORTING AND EXPORTING PARTIES, THE
OPENING FOR ACCEPTANCE OR ACCESSION, ON DECEMBER 15, 1977,
OF A PROTOCOL FOR THE EXTENSION FOR A PERIOD OF FOUR
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YEARS OF THE ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN
TEXTILES, IN ITS PRESENT TEXT AND ON THE BASIS OF THE
GENERAL UNDERSTANDING REFLECTED IN GATT DOCUMENT COM.TEX/
W/44 (COPY ATTACHED)

A TEXT FOR THE PROTOCOL REQUESTED WILL BE SUBMITTED AT
LATER DATE FOLLOWING FURTHER CONSULTATIONS BETWEEN THE

INTERESTED PARTICIPANTS. UNQUOTE.

3. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF SECOND LETTER TO GATT DIRGEN
REQUESTING DERESTRICTION OF COM.TEX/W/44. QUOTE.
I AM INSTRUCTED BY MY GOVERNMENT AS SPONSOR OF GATT
DOCUMENT COM.TEX/W/44, TO REQUEST THE DERESTRICTION OF
THAT DOCUMENT.
ACCORDINGLY, MY GOVERNMENT WOULD APPRECIATE THE PROMPT
INITIATION OF THE NECESSARY PROCEDURAL STEPS TO EFFECT
THE DERESTRICTION OF THE DOCUMENT REFERRED TO ABOVE.
UNQUOTE.

4. REQUEST APPROVAL OF TEXTS AND INSTRUCTION TO AMBASSA-
DOR TO SIGN AND SEND.

5. DESPITE LONG'S SUGGESTION (PARA 1 REFTTEL) "WE NOT
BE IN HURRY," AT LEAST THREE OUR SUPPORTERS HAVE TODAY
EXPRESSED SOME NERVOUSNESS OVER PROSPECT ANY SIGNIFICANT
DELAY IN FILING REQUEST. WOULD HOPE WE IN POSITION TO
DELIVER LETTER AUGUST 2. VANDEN HEUVEL.

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Message Attributes

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Decaption Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
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